

Hamilton Roundtable for Poverty Reduction

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The Hamilton Roundtable for Poverty Reduction is a collaborative table of individuals and groups that works to connect and focus the community's attention around poverty reduction. We work on systems change – locally, provincially and nationally to bring public attention to the challenges and impact of poverty in Hamilton. We engage the community (including youth) in the change effort to bring new funding and strategic investment to assist people living in poverty and we evaluate and monitor the city's progress towards *Making Hamilton the Best Place to Raise a Child*. While we have a number of Action priorities - we do not specifically run programs or offer services. We do however try to connect interested individuals to agencies in Hamilton which offer a full range of supports and volunteer opportunities.

You may wish to contact one of our community partners, Volunteer Hamilton at <http://www.volunteerhamilton.on.ca/> who can help coordinate your interests with an appropriate organization who is currently focusing on poverty reduction efforts.

